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**Western Seed and Irrigation Co.**  
FREMONT, NEB.  
**SEED GROWERS**  
FOR THE WHOLESALE TRADE ONLY.

**SPECIAL CONTRACT OFFER**  
**ORDER SHEET**  
**CROPS OF 1904**  
**SEED CORN and VINE SEEDS.**

*We give our personal care and attention to the detail work of our Seed Growing in all its branches, and claim with confidence that our stocks cannot be excelled in purity, quality, or any other respect, by any stocks obtainable from any other source.*



SEED WAREHOUSE, WESTERN SEED &amp; IRRIGATION CO.

Corn, car load, minimum capacity.....	lb
Corn, car lots.....\$.....	per 100 lb
Corn, less than car lots.....\$.....	per 100 lb
Seeds, less than car lots.....\$.....	per 100 lb

EXTRA SELECTED—HOUSE DRIED—SEED SWEET CORN.

<b>QUANTITY BUSH.</b>	<b>EXTRA EARLY VARIETIES</b>	<b>PRICE PER MEASURED BU.</b>	<b>QUANTITY BUSH.</b>	<b>MEDIUM EARLY VARIETIES</b>	<b>PRICE PER MEASURED BU.</b>	
.....	Burpee's Sheffield.....		.....	Moore's Concord.....		
.....	Crosby's Original Strain.....		.....	Perry's Hybrid.....		
.....	Gregory's Quincy Market.....		.....	Minnesota.....		
.....	Thorburn's Melrose.....		.....	Old Colony.....		
.....	Ferry's Oakview.....		.....	Marblehead Mammoth Early.....		
.....	Burpee's Fordhook, Early.....		.....	Hickox Improved.....		
.....	Burpee's First of All.....		.....	Black Mexican.....		
.....	Burbank's Early Maine.....		.....	Potter's Excelsior.....		
.....	Chicago Market.....		.....	Squantum.. ..		
.....	Red Cory.....		.....			
.....	White Cory.....		.....			
.....	Mammoth White Cory.....		.....			
.....			.....			
.....			.....			
<b>MEDIUM EARLY VARIETIES</b>			<b>LATE VARIETIES</b>			
.....	Burpee's Cosmopolitan.....		.....	Mammoth.....		
.....	Henderson's Metropolitan.....	.....	Egyptian.....			
.....	Kendel's Giant Early.....	.....	Zig-Zag Evergreen.....			
.....	Champion Early.....	.....	Ferry's New Early Evergreen.....			
.....	Pee and Kay.....	.....	Stowell's Evergreen.....			
.....	Shaker's Early.....	.....	Stowell's XX Selected Evergreen ..			
.....	Crosby's (Connecticut Strain).....	.....	Country Gentleman... ..			
		.....	Evergreen Sweet Fodder No. 1.....			
		.....	Sweet Fodder No. 2.....			

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EXTRA SELECTED—HOUSE DRIED—FIELD CORN.

Kernels of uniform size, thoroughly "tipped" and "butted." Light weight kernels removed by heavy exhaust Suction Air Blast. Tested before shipment and guaranteed to be of **not less than 85 per cent** good, strong germinating **vitality**. Quality to be of the highest grade obtainable by latest improved machinery. If desired, samples to be submitted before shipment to ascertain if customer wishes stock hand-picked, in which case **a charge of 15c per bushel** will be made to cover **actual cost of labor**—ordinarily hand-picking is not required. If the fall season, prior to cribbing crops, is unusually stormy, some of the grain may become rotten and discolored on the ear beneath the husk, and in such an event, as no machine has as yet been invented for discriminating between colors, the only remedy is by hand-picking. There is no profit to us in hand-picking corn and we exert every effort possible to make the quality such by machinery that hand-picking is unnecessary, but as we are always anxious to please our friends in trade, we will gladly have stocks hand-picked if so preferred.

QUANTITY BUSH.	WHITE FLINT VARIETIES	PRICE PER BU. 56 LBS.	QUANTITY BUSH.	YELLOW FLINT VARIETIES	PRICE PER BU. 56 LBS.
.....	New Connecticut Giant.....		.....	Compton's Early.....	
.....	<b>Thoroughbred</b> .....		.....	Mercer.....	
.....	Dakota.....		.....	<b>Triumph</b> .....	
.....	<b>Sanford</b> .....		.....	<b>Vick's Genesee Valley</b> .....	
.....	Sanford, Fodder.....		.....	Early Eight Rowed.....	
.....	<b>Australian</b> , Extra Early, extra selected		.....	<b>Longfellow</b> .....	
Hardest known variety; will thrive at an altitude of 6,000 feet, where the climate is always too cold for ordinary corn; a great drouth resister; will produce crops when other sorts fail; used largely in the South for "Green Corn" or "Roasting Ears."			.....	Angel of Midnight.....	
.....			.....	King Philip.....	
.....			.....		
.....			.....		
<b>YELLOW DENT VARIETIES</b>			<b>WHITE DENT VARIETIES</b>		
.....	<b>King of the Earliest</b> .....		.....	<b>Adams' Extra Early</b> .....	
.....	Pride of the North.....		.....	Adams' Large Early.....	
.....	Early Butler.....		.....	<b>Clark County Champion</b> , the most popular variety for green corn and roasting ears in the South; also makes an excellent crop for grain.	
.....	Early Huron.....		.....	<b>Iowa Silver Mine</b> .....	
.....	<b>Minnesota King</b> .....		.....	Wisconsin White Dent.....	
.....	White Cap, Yellow Dent.....		.....	<b>Champion White Pearl</b> .....	
.....	<b>Iowa Gold Mine</b> .....		.....	<b>Snowflake</b> .....	
.....	Improved Leaming.....		.....	Mammoth White Pearl.....	
.....	<b>Legal Tender</b> .....		.....	<b>Red Cob White</b> , largely used for ensilage	
.....	Yellow Rose.....		.....	<b>Snow White Dent</b> .....	
.....	Mastodon.....				
.....	<b>Golden Beauty</b> .....				
.....	Golden Surprise.....				
.....	<b>Golden Mammoth</b> .....				
.....	Longfellow, Yellow Dent.....				



WESTERN SEED & IRRIGATION CO.'S SEED CORN DRYING HOUSE.

## CUCUMBER.

QUANTITY LBS.		PRICE PER LB.	QUANTITY LBS.		PRICE PER LB.
Early Cluster.....	}		Improved Long Green.....	}	
Early Frame.....			Long Green Turkey.....		
Early Short Green.....			Early Russian.....		
Nichol's Medium Green.....			Thorburn's Everbearing.....		
Westerfield's Chicago Pickling.....			Early Extra Siberian.....		
Boston Pickling.....			Livingston's Emerald.....		
Jersey Pickling.....			White Wonder.....		
Green Prolific Pickling.....			Japanese Climing.....		
Extra Early Green Prolific.....			New Extra Early Long Green.....		
White Spine, Rawson's.....			} Used especially by Southern Truckers.		
White Spine, Vaughan's.....	Snake.....				
White Spine, Peerless.....	}		Cumberland Pickling.....	}	
White Spine, Improved.....			West India Gherkin.....		
White Spine, Bismarck.....			Parisian Pickling.....		
White Spine, Evergreen.....			Goliath Ex. Lg. Gn. Giant. (20 to 25 in)		
White Spine, Extra Long.....			White Spine, New Century.....		
White Spine, Cool and Crisp.....			New Ideal Pickling.....		

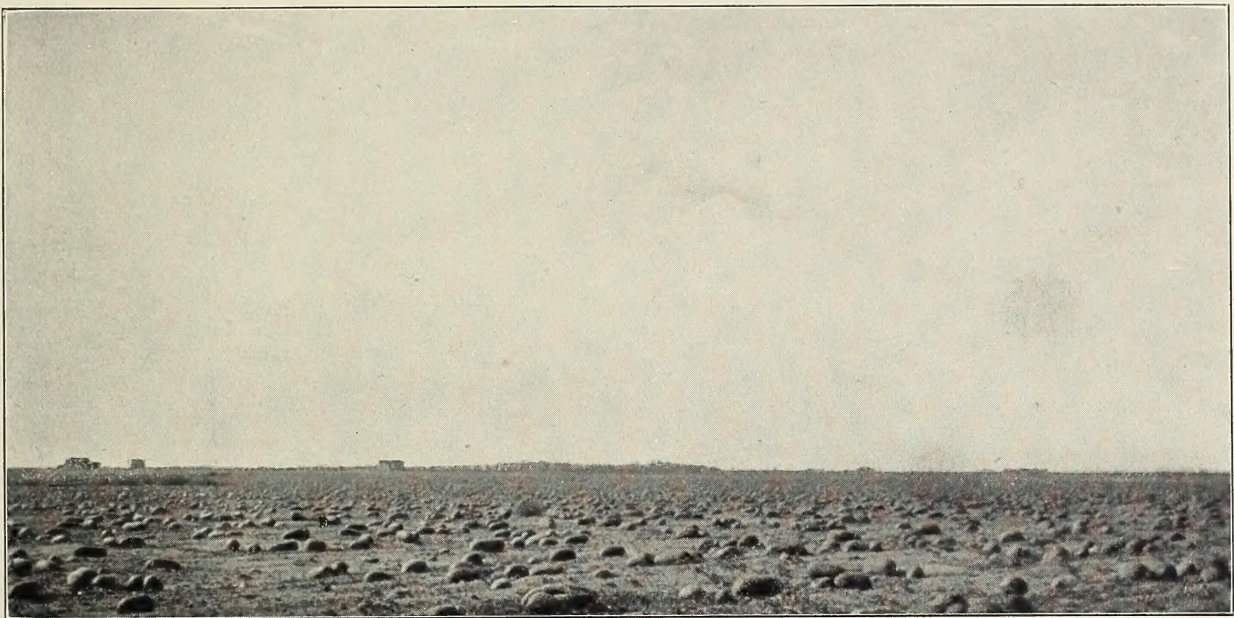
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MUSK MELON.

QUANTITY LBS.	PRICE PER LB.	QUANTITY LBS.	PRICE PER LB.
*Extra Early Hackensack.....		Improved Orange Christina.....	
*Large Early Hackensack.....		McCotter's Pride.....	
*Early Prolific Nutmeg.....		*Bay View.....	
*Early Prolific Nutmeg.....		*Casaba.....	
*Early Netted Gem, Oval Strain.....		Long Yellow Cantaloupe.....	
*Early Netted Gem, Burpee's.....		Grand Rapids.....	
*Rockyford, (Grown by us at Rocky Ford, Colo.)		*Skillman's Netted.....	
Osage.....		*Chicago Market.....	
Emerald Gem.....		*Montreal Market.....	
*Extra Early Green Citron.....		*New Orleans Market.....	
*Extra Early Jenny Lind.....		*Baltimore Market or Acme.....	
*Norfolk Button, Ex. Early Jenny Lind		*Anne Arundel.....	
Surprise.....		*Burpee's Champion Market.....	
Vick's Irondequoit.....		Perfection.....	
Tip Top.....		Princess.....	
*Green Fleshed		*Green Fleshed	



CROP OF WATER MELONS GROWN BY WESTERN SEED & IRRIGATION CO., SEASON 1903.

MUSK MELON.

QUANTITY LBS.	PRICE PER LB.	QUANTITY LBS.	PRICE PER LB.
Miller's Cream.....		*Melon or Vine Peach.....	
*Missouri Cantaloupe.....		*Garden Lemon.....	
*Melrose.....		Ferry's New Defender.....	
*Green Fleshed Osage.....		Burpee's Matchless.....	
Paul Rose.....			
*Long Island Beauty.....			
Banana.....			
Shumway's Giant.....			
Vaughan's Osage Gem.....			
Burpee's Golden Eagle.....			
*Green Fleshed.		*Green Fleshed.	

WATER MELON.

We have made exhaustive open field tests of Water Melon Seeds grown in other sections of the country and have found in every instance, in comparison with our stocks grown under irrigation, that the crops produced from our seed were infinitely superior in every respect. As to the quality, it can be truthfully claimed that no stocks can excel those grown on the sandy soils of our Nebraska Prairie Valleys.

QUANTITY LBS.	PRICE PER LB.	QUANTITY LBS.	PRICE PER LB.
Kolb's Gem.....		Citron preserves, Colo, (green seed)...	
Mountain Sweet.....		Fordhook Early.....	
Peerless.....		Jones' Jumbo.....	
Georgia Rattlesnake.....		Duke Jones.....	
Ferry's Sweetheart.....		Hoosier King.....	
Cuban Queen.....		McIver's Wonderful Sugar.....	
Red Seed Citron.....		Ferry's Iceberg, (Blue Gem, or Improved Kolb's Gem) ..	
Kleckley's Sweet.....		Black Diamond.....	
Monte Cristo.....		Kentucky Wonder (red seed).....	
Triumph.....		Hungarian Honey.....	
Phinney's Early.....		Alabama Sweet.....	
Dixie.....		Stokes' Extra Early.....	
Pride of Georgia.....			
Vick's Early.....			
Cole's Early.....			
Dark Icing or Ice Rind.....			
Light Icing, Round.....			
Black Spanish (black seed).....			
Mammoth Ironclad.....			
Seminole.....			
Gray Monarch, or Long Light Icing..			
Florida Favorite.....			

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## PUMPKIN.

QUANTITY LBS.	PRICE PER LB.	PRICE PER LB.	PRICE PER LB.
.....Large Cheese, Old-Fashioned Type.....	}	..... <b>New Crookneck Japanese Pie</b> .....	}
..... <b>Large Improved Golden Cheese</b> .....		.....Mammoth Gray Boulogne.....	
.....Large Cashaw (striped).....		..... <b>Mammoth Red Etampes</b> .....	
..... <b>Improved Cashaw</b> (white).....		.....Mammoth Potiron.....	
.....Improved <b>Golden</b> Cashaw.....		..... <b>King of the Mammoths</b> .....	
..... <b>Small Sweet or Sugar</b> .....		..... <b>Vilmorin's Mammoth Globe</b> .....	
..... <b>Jonathan</b> .....		.....Mammoth Tours.....	
..... <b>New Calhoun</b> .....		.....Connecticut Field.....	
.....Winter Luxury.....		.....Kentucky Field.....	
..... <b>Golden Oblong</b> .....		.....	
.....Quaker Pie.....	.....	.....	
..... <b>Tennessee Sweet Potato</b> .....	.....	.....	



CROP OF PUMPKINS GROWN BY WESTERN SEED & IRRIGATION CO., SEASON 1903.

## SQUASH.

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## GOURDS.

QUANTITY LBS.	PRICE PER LB.	QUANTITY LBS.	PRICE PER LB.
..... Nest Egg.....		..... Sugar Trough.....	
..... Dipper.....		..... Hercules Club.....	

**Western Seed & Irrigation Co., Fremont, Neb.**

Date ..... 190.....

Gentlemen:—Please enter our order for the above named quantities of Seeds at prices annexed upon the terms and conditions herein specified.

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

*Accepted:* WESTERN SEED & IRRIGATION CO.

Date 190 Per